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NEBRASKA WEEKLY WEATHER AND CROP REPORT

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WEATHER The weather in Nebraska during the past week was dry with considerable cloudiness, a few light snow flurries and seasonable temperatures.

CROPS A limited amount of harvesting occurred last week during periods when the ground was frozen sufficiently to support harvesting equipment. Corn harvest advanced 1 percent to 98 percent completed. Only a few isolated fields of sorghum and soybeans remain to be harvested.

Frozen ground in most areas has stopped fall tillage activity. Routine care of livestock was the major activity last week. Other activities included machine repair, working on farm records, attending sales, and movement of feed supplies.

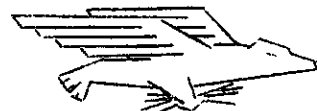
Winter wheat continues to be reported in good to excellent condition.

LIVESTOCK Cool weather has caused some problems for livestock producers. A few reports were received of sickness in newly placed cattle. Many cattle are still gleanng stalk fields where snow cover is not complete.

NATIONAL WEATHER SERVICE TELEGRAPHIC REPORT OF PRECIPITATION FOR WEEK ENDING 12/19/71

<u>East</u>		<u>Central</u>		<u>West</u>	
Grand Island	.01	Burwell	0	Chadron	T
Lincoln	T	North Platte	0	Imperial	0
Norfolk	T	Valentine	T	Scottsbluff	0
Omaha	.03			Sidney	T
Sioux City	T				

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# PRECIPITATION MAP FOR WEEK ENDING DECEMBER 17, 1971

